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Thursday, March 3, 2022  
8:45 a.m.  
State Capitol, Room 437

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# Memo

**To:** Rules Committee Members  
**From:** Michael Erke, Bill Referral Consultant  
**Date:** 3/2/2022  
**Re:** Consent Bill Referrals

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Since you received your preliminary list of bill referrals, the following bills have been added to the list of referrals: AB 1771, AB 1867, AB 1919, AB 1938, AB 2064, AB 2088, AB 2155, AB 2221, HR 92, and HR 94. The referral recommendation for AB 2232, AB 2365, and AB 2374, and AB 2424 has changed.

REFERRAL OF BILLS TO COMMITTEE

03/03/2022

Pursuant to the Assembly Rules, the following bills were referred to committee:

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<u>AB 1938</u>	TRANS.
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<u>AB 2176</u>	HEALTH
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<u>AB 2252</u>	E.M.
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<u>AB 2258</u>	L. GOV.
<u>AB 2258</u>	B. & F.
<u>AB 2259</u>	HUM. S.

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<u>AB 2260</u>	JUD.
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<u>AB 2267</u>	TRANS.
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**Assembly Concurrent Resolution**

**No. 119**

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**Introduced by Assembly Member Boerner Horvath**

January 6, 2022

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Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 119—Relative to the Girl Scouts of the USA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL’S DIGEST

ACR 119, as introduced, Boerner Horvath. Girl Scouts of the USA. This measure would resolve that the Legislature is proud to join the Girl Scouts of the USA in recognizing their 110th Anniversary.

Fiscal committee: no.

- 1 WHEREAS, On March 12, 1912, the first Girl Scout meeting  
2 was held in Savannah, Georgia; and  
3 WHEREAS, The first Girl Scout meeting was led by Juliette  
4 Gordon Low who founded the Girl Scouts of the USA after meeting  
5 with Sir Robert Baden-Powell, the founder of the Boy Scouts and  
6 Girl Guides; and  
7 WHEREAS, In 1917, the Girl Scouts sought a way to financially  
8 support their objective of building girls of courage, confidence,  
9 and character who make the world a better place, and the first  
10 cookie sale began in the kitchens and ovens of Girl Scouts  
11 members, with moms volunteering as technical advisers; and  
12 WHEREAS, In 1935, the Girl Scout Federation of Greater New  
13 York raised money through the sale of commercially baked  
14 cookies. Buying its own die in the shape of a trefoil, the group  
15 used the words “Girl Scout Cookies” on the box; and



1 WHEREAS, In 1936, the national Girl Scouts organization  
2 began the process of licensing the first commercial bakers to  
3 produce cookies that would be sold nationwide by girls in Girl  
4 Scout councils; and

5 WHEREAS, In 2014, the Girl Scout Cookie Program launched  
6 the Digital Cookie, that introduced vital 21st century lessons about  
7 online marketing, app usage, and e-commerce to Girl Scouts, while  
8 still maintaining the door-to-door and booth sales; and

9 WHEREAS, Girl Scout Cookie sales teach five skills that are  
10 essential to leadership, success, and life: Goal Setting,  
11 decisionmaking, money management, people skills, and business  
12 ethics. Girls learn that there is no limit to their success and that  
13 any goal they set is achievable, as they utilize the skills they learn  
14 selling cookies; and

15 WHEREAS, Through its membership in the World Association  
16 of Girl Guides and Girl Scouts, Girl Scouts of the USA (GSUSA)  
17 is part of a worldwide family of 10,000,000 girls and women in  
18 146 countries; and

19 WHEREAS, During the COVID-19 pandemic, GSUSA, as a  
20 national organization, saw the need to innovate quickly to protect  
21 the safety and health of the girls, volunteers, and staff, and to  
22 mitigate as much as possible the personal and business disruptions  
23 the pandemic created; and

24 WHEREAS, In early March 2020, in the wake of the COVID-19  
25 pandemic, regional Girl Scout councils and GSUSA went fully  
26 remote, working diligently to maintain programming while keeping  
27 the girls, volunteers, and staff safe; and

28 WHEREAS, The iconic Girl Scout Cookie Program went 100  
29 percent digital as booth sales and deliveries had to be paused  
30 indefinitely during what was still the middle of cookie season for  
31 many councils and before a few councils even began their seasons;  
32 and

33 WHEREAS, Because participation in selling cookies is an  
34 important entrepreneurial program for girls and also a vital source  
35 of the Girl Scouts Movement funding, the organization took bold  
36 and coordinated actions to suspend in-person cookie sales and to  
37 create Girl Scouts Cookie Care, an online platform that enabled  
38 councils, girls, and troops to maintain and support their cookie  
39 sales. These efforts helped troops and girls develop new ways to  
40 participate in the cookie program so that local programming could

1 continue, while also offering consumers a way to buy Girl Scout  
2 Cookies for themselves and as donations for the military, as well  
3 as for local frontline staff, including first responders, health care  
4 workers, truck drivers, pharmacists, and others in the community;  
5 and

6 WHEREAS, The Girl Scouts organization also shifted to fully  
7 virtual Girl Scout experiences through Girl Scouts at Home, a  
8 national online platform where girls, families, and troop leaders  
9 may access free, self-guided activities for badges, traditions, and  
10 council patch programs from GSUSA’s expert programming. This  
11 quick pivot enabled the organization to keep the girls, especially  
12 older Girl Scouts, engaged and connected to each other across  
13 geographic boundaries through live events, National Service  
14 Projects, and online badge experiences that they participated in  
15 and completed at home; and

16 WHEREAS, COVID-19 also impacted the summer 2020 camp  
17 season. In May 2020, the Girl Scouts organization launched Girl  
18 Scouts’ first Virtual Camp Marketplace (VCMP), where councils  
19 across the country posted their virtual camp offerings to a national  
20 audience. It was open to all girls, and not limited to Girl Scouts,  
21 and allowed parents to shop virtual camps from across the country.  
22 More than 500 camp sessions, including a mix of live video calls,  
23 independent activities, and recorded videos, were listed on the  
24 VCMP, with an average of 80 sessions available each week in  
25 July. Councils reported 25 to 50 percent, inclusive, of the attendees  
26 in their virtual camps were from out of their area, the state, and  
27 even the country.

28 WHEREAS, While COVID-19 created many challenges the  
29 organization had to meet, it is also in the Girl Scout DNA to  
30 innovate and be possibility thinkers. The organization remains  
31 committed to providing Girl Scouts the tools they need to create  
32 a new future and gain the skills they will need to thrive in it.

33 WHEREAS, The Girl Scouts organization develops girls of  
34 courage, confidence, and character who make the world a better  
35 place; now, therefore, be it

36 *Resolved by the Assembly of the State of California, the Senate*  
37 *thereof concurring,* That the Legislature is proud to join the Girl  
38 Scouts of the USA in recognizing their 110th anniversary and  
39 105th anniversary of their beloved cookies; and be it further

**ACR 119**

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- 1 *Resolved*, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly transmit copies
- 2 of this resolution to the author for appropriate distribution.

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Date of Hearing: March 3, 2022

ASSEMBLY COMMITTEE ON RULES  
Ken Cooley, Chair  
ACR 119 (Boerner Horvath) – As Introduced January 6, 2022

**SUBJECT:** Girl Scouts of the USA.

**SUMMARY:** Recognizes the 110th Anniversary of the Girls Scouts of the USA. Specifically, **this resolution** makes the following legislative findings:

- 1) On March 12, 1912, the first Girl Scout meeting was held in Savannah, Georgia and was led by Juliette Gordon Low who founded the Girl Scouts of the USA after meeting with Sir Robert Baden-Powell, the founder of the Boy Scouts and Girl Guides.
- 2) In 1917, the Girl Scouts sought a way to financially support their objective of building girls of courage, confidence, and character who make the world a better place, and the first cookie sale began in the kitchens and ovens of Girl Scouts members, with moms volunteering as technical advisers. In 1935, the Girl Scout Federation of Greater New York raised money through the sale of commercially baked cookies; and, buying its own die in the shape of a trefoil, the group used the words “Girl Scout Cookies” on the box.
- 3) In 1936, the national Girl Scouts organization began the process of licensing the first commercial bakers to produce cookies that would be sold nationwide by girls in Girl Scout councils.
- 4) Girl Scout Cookie sales teach five skills that are essential to leadership, success, and life: goal setting, decisionmaking, money management, people skills, and business ethics. Girls learn that there is no limit to their success and that any goal they set is achievable, as they utilize the skills they learn selling cookies.
- 5) During the COVID-19 pandemic, Girl Scouts of the USA (GSUSA), as a national organization, saw the need to innovate quickly to protect the safety and health of the girls, volunteers, and staff, and to mitigate as much as possible the personal and business disruptions the pandemic created.
- 6) The iconic Girl Scout Cookie Program went 100 percent digital as booth sales and deliveries had to be paused indefinitely during what was still the middle of cookie season for many councils and before a few councils even began their seasons.
- 7) The Girl Scouts organization also shifted to fully virtual Girl Scout experiences through Girl Scouts at Home, a national online platform where girls, families, and troop leaders may access free, self-guided activities for badges, traditions, and council patch programs from GSUSA’s expert programming. This quick pivot enabled the organization to keep the girls, especially older Girl Scouts, engaged and connected to each other across geographic boundaries through live events, National Service Projects, and online badge experiences that they participated in and completed at home.
- 8) While COVID-19 created many challenges the organization had to meet, it is also in the Girl Scout DNA to innovate and be possibility thinkers. The organization remains committed to

providing Girl Scouts the tools they need to create a new future and gain the skills they will need to thrive in it.

- 9) The Girl Scouts organization develops girls of courage, confidence, and character who make the world a better place.

**FISCAL EFFECT:** None

**REGISTERED SUPPORT / OPPOSITION:**

**Support**

None on file

**Opposition**

None on file

**Analysis Prepared by:** Michael Erke / RLS. / (916) 319-2800

**Assembly Concurrent Resolution**

**No. 146**

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**Introduced by Assembly Member Cristina Garcia**

February 18, 2022

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Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 146—Relative to Women in Construction Week.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL’S DIGEST

ACR 146, as introduced, Cristina Garcia. Women in Construction Week.

This measure would proclaim the week of March 7, 2022, to March 13, 2022, inclusive, as Women in Construction Week.

Fiscal committee: no.

1 WHEREAS, In 1987, Congress declared March as national  
2 Women’s History Month in perpetuity, and since then, the industry  
3 has celebrated women in construction during the first week of  
4 March; and

5 WHEREAS, The focus of Women in Construction Week is to  
6 highlight women as a visible component of the construction  
7 industry; and

8 WHEREAS, The continuous progress of our economy requires  
9 full participation and support of all citizens, regardless of gender,  
10 race, or ethnic background; and

11 WHEREAS, The workforce in California is becoming  
12 increasingly diversified and for this state’s construction industry  
13 to remain competitive in the global economy, it must also diversify  
14 its workforce by attracting significantly more women into the  
15 industry; and

1 WHEREAS, Women currently occupy only 10 percent of all  
2 apprenticeships and less than 3 percent of construction trade jobs  
3 nationally. As a state, we should support policy efforts, such as  
4 Chapter 675 of the Statutes of 2018 (Assembly Bill 2358) and  
5 Chapter 722 of the Statutes of 2019 (Senate Bill 530). We aim to  
6 make construction job sites safer and more welcoming to women  
7 and will help achieve at least 20 percent by 2022; and

8 WHEREAS, The construction industry in California has  
9 tremendous need for skilled and motivated workers, managers,  
10 and entrepreneurs from all segments of the population; and

11 WHEREAS, The construction industry must strive to educate  
12 and inspire parents, educators, and career counselors to encourage  
13 California's youth to enter into rewarding career opportunities in  
14 construction; and

15 WHEREAS, Rising costs of higher education and evolving  
16 employer workforce training needs make apprenticeship an  
17 increasingly important career pathway without the burden of  
18 student loans; and

19 WHEREAS, Women face many barriers to entering and staying  
20 in the construction field and have historically been excluded from  
21 apprenticeship opportunities that lead to meaningful careers with  
22 family-supporting wages; and

23 WHEREAS, Apprenticeships are a critical pathway for women  
24 to participate fully and equally in California's growing economy;  
25 and

26 WHEREAS, The development of women-owned business  
27 enterprises will benefit all members of the workforce through the  
28 creation of meaningful and productive jobs; and

29 WHEREAS, Research has shown that gender diversity is  
30 associated with increased performance, innovation, and  
31 opportunity. Having more women entrepreneurs and small business  
32 owners operating in the construction industry will only benefit the  
33 working conditions for women across all industries; and

34 WHEREAS, Women represent an untapped resource, and  
35 activities to improve women's recruitment and retention in skilled  
36 construction jobs is critically important in helping to close the  
37 workforce skills gap, build the middle class, and help meet the  
38 needs of the 21st century; now, therefore, be it

39 *Resolved by the Assembly of the State of California, the Senate*  
40 *thereof concurring*, That the Legislature proclaims March 7, 2022,

1 to March 13, 2022, inclusive, as Women in Construction Week  
2 and requests that the Governor issue a proclamation calling on the  
3 people of the great State of California to observe the week with  
4 appropriate programs and education activities; and be it further  
5 *Resolved*, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly transmit copies  
6 of this resolution to the author for appropriate distribution.

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Date of Hearing: March 3, 2022

ASSEMBLY COMMITTEE ON RULES  
Ken Cooley, Chair  
ACR 146 (Cristina Garcia) – As Introduced February 18, 2022

**SUBJECT:** Women in Construction Week.

**SUMMARY:** Proclaims the week of March 7, 2022, to March 13, 2022, inclusive, as Women in Construction Week. Specifically, **this resolution** makes the following legislative findings:

- 1) In 1987, Congress declared March as national Women’s History Month in perpetuity, and since then, the industry has celebrated women in construction during the first week of March.
- 2) The workforce in California is becoming increasingly diversified and for this state’s construction industry to remain competitive in the global economy, it must also diversify its workforce by attracting significantly more women into the industry.
- 3) The construction industry in California has tremendous need for skilled and motivated workers, managers, and entrepreneurs from all segments of the population.
- 4) The construction industry must strive to educate and inspire parents, educators, and career counselors to encourage California’s youth to enter into rewarding career opportunities in construction.
- 5) Research has shown that gender diversity is associated with increased performance, innovation, and opportunity. Having more women entrepreneurs and small business owners operating in the construction industry will only benefit the working conditions for women across all industries.
- 6) Women represent an untapped resource, and activities to improve women’s recruitment and retention in skilled construction jobs is critically important in helping to close the workforce skills gap, build the middle class, and help meet the needs of the 21st century.

**FISCAL EFFECT:** None

**REGISTERED SUPPORT / OPPOSITION:**

**Support**

None on file

**Opposition**

None on file

**Analysis Prepared by:** Michael Erke / RLS. / (916) 319-2800

**Assembly Concurrent Resolution**

**No. 149**

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**Introduced by Assembly Member Rodriguez**

February 22, 2022

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Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 149—Relative to American Red Cross Month.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL’S DIGEST

ACR 149, as introduced, Rodriguez. American Red Cross Month.

This measure would proclaim March 2022 as American Red Cross Month and would dedicate it to all those who continue to advance the noble legacy of the organization’s founder. The measure would encourage all Californians to reach out, support the organization’s humanitarian mission, and join in their commitment to care for people in need.

Fiscal committee: no.

- 1     WHEREAS, March is American Red Cross Month, a special  
2 time to honor the kindness of our neighbors who aid families in  
3 need every day in California, across the United States, and around  
4 the world. Their dedication touches millions of lives each year as  
5 they carry out the organization’s 140-year-old mission of  
6 preventing and alleviating suffering; and  
7     WHEREAS, During the trying times of the COVID-19  
8 pandemic, people have stepped up to help others in need, whether  
9 it was responding to this past year’s record-breaking disasters  
10 across the country or rolling up their sleeves to give blood when  
11 our country faced a severe blood shortage; and

1 WHEREAS, Day after day, we are witnessing and responding  
2 to devastating and dramatic disasters exacerbated by climate  
3 change. Wildfires are relentless, storms are intensifying, and floods  
4 are escalating. The climate crisis is not ahead of us; it is here.  
5 Climate change affects vulnerable populations disproportionately,  
6 which increases the need for American Red Cross support, their  
7 Environmental, Social, and Governance (ESG) programs, and their  
8 framework for climate change action focused on resilience,  
9 education, and sustainability; and

10 WHEREAS, Here in California, local families have relied on  
11 American Red Cross volunteers for comfort and hope while coping  
12 with over 3,000 local disasters. Last year, over 25,000 California  
13 volunteers assisted with small and large disasters, such as the  
14 devastating wildfires. Volunteers also helped over 5,000 people  
15 affected by home fires in the state by addressing their urgent needs,  
16 including food, lodging, and recovery support; and

17 WHEREAS, California volunteers have supported local families  
18 in other ways too. Last year, almost 400,000 people enrolled in  
19 training classes that taught lifesaving skills, such as first aid,  
20 cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR), water safety, and caregiving.  
21 The American Red Cross provided services to military members,  
22 veterans, retirees, and their families. Over 45,000 cases were open  
23 to assist in various ways; and

24 WHEREAS, Every two seconds, someone in the United States  
25 needs blood. Nationwide, the American Red Cross provides 40  
26 percent of the country's blood supply. In California, the American  
27 Red Cross collects over 330,000 units of red blood cells each year.  
28 In addition, over 130,000 units of platelets are collected each year  
29 to help treat trauma and cancer patients. Blood products are also  
30 essential for surgeries and chronic illnesses; and

31 WHEREAS, In January 2022, the American Red Cross declared  
32 a first-ever national blood shortage crisis. Due to the blood  
33 shortage, some hospitals are receiving a quarter of the blood they  
34 need. Doctors are forced to choose between who receives care  
35 immediately and who must wait until more blood is available. In  
36 more dire cases, hospitals are unable to treat anyone because of  
37 exhausting their blood inventory. In the event of a disaster or  
38 large-scale emergency, a shortage of available blood may also  
39 result in otherwise preventable loss of life; and

1 WHEREAS, Nearly 200 years since the birth of American Red  
2 Cross founder Clara Barton, this lifesaving work is vital to  
3 strengthening our community's resilience; now, therefore, be it

4 *Resolved by the Assembly of the State of California, the Senate*  
5 *thereof concurring*, That the Legislature hereby proclaims the  
6 month of March 2022 as American Red Cross Month and dedicates  
7 it to all those who continue to advance Clara Barton's noble legacy;  
8 and be it further

9 *Resolved*, That the Legislature encourages all Californians to  
10 reach out, support the organization's humanitarian mission, and  
11 join in their commitment to care for people in need; and be it  
12 further

13 *Resolved*, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly transmit copies  
14 of this resolution to the author for appropriate distribution.

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Date of Hearing: March 3, 2022

ASSEMBLY COMMITTEE ON RULES  
Ken Cooley, Chair  
ACR 149 (Rodriguez) – As Introduced February 22, 2022

**SUBJECT:** American Red Cross Month.

**SUMMARY:** Proclaims the month of March 2022 as American Red Cross Month and encourages all Californians to join in their commitment to care for people in need. Specifically, **this resolution** makes the following legislative findings:

- 1) March is American Red Cross Month, a special time to honor the kindness of our neighbors who aid families in need every day in California, across the United States, and around the world. Their dedication touches millions of lives each year as they carry out the organization's 140-year-old mission of preventing and alleviating suffering.
- 2) During the trying times of the COVID-19 pandemic, people have stepped up to help others in need, whether it was responding to this past year's record-breaking disasters across the country or rolling up their sleeves to give blood when our country faced a severe blood shortage.
- 3) Here in California, local families have relied on American Red Cross volunteers for comfort and hope while coping with over 3,000 local disasters. Last year, 25,000 California volunteers assisted with small and large disasters, such as the devastating wildfires. Volunteers also helped over 5,000 people affected by home fires in the state by addressing their urgent needs, including food, lodging, and recovery support.
- 4) California volunteers have supported local families in other ways too. Last year, almost 400,000 people enrolled in training classes that taught lifesaving skills, such as first aid, cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR), water safety, and caregiving. The American Red Cross provided services to military members, veterans, retirees, and their families. Over 45,000 cases were open to assist in various ways.
- 5) Every two seconds, someone in the United States needs blood. In California, the American Red Cross collects over 330,000 units of red blood cells each year. In addition, over 130,000 units of platelets are collected each year to help treat trauma and cancer patients.

**FISCAL EFFECT:** None

**REGISTERED SUPPORT / OPPOSITION:**

**Support**

None on file

**Opposition**

None on file

**Analysis Prepared by:** Michael Erke / RLS. / (916) 319-2800

**House Resolution**

**No. 92**

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**Introduced by Assembly Members Choi and Quirk-Silva**

March 1, 2022

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House Resolution No. 92—Relative to Yu Gwan-sun Day.

1 WHEREAS, The March 1st Movement was inspired by the  
2 “Fourteen Points” outlined by President Woodrow Wilson at the  
3 Paris Peace Conference and was the first step taken by Koreans  
4 for independence; and

5 WHEREAS, The reading of the Korean Declaration of  
6 Independence, which was drafted by historian Choe Nam-seon, in  
7 Taehwagwan Restaurant in Seoul and the subsequent signing of  
8 the document signaled the beginning of the independence  
9 movement for Korea; and

10 WHEREAS, From March 1 to April 11, 1919, approximately  
11 2,000,000 Koreans participated in more than 1,500 demonstrations,  
12 which are referred to today as the Korean independence movement;  
13 and

14 WHEREAS, Yu Gwan-sun is best known as an organizer in the  
15 March 1st Movement in the peaceful demonstration against the  
16 Imperial Japanese colonial rule of Korea; and

17 WHEREAS, The protests and the March 1st Movement sparked  
18 the creation of the Provisional Government of the Republic of  
19 Korea, and while the campaign failed to achieve its goal of  
20 independence, March 1 is celebrated by both North and South  
21 Korea today as a national holiday; and

22 WHEREAS, The centennial commemoration of the March 1st  
23 Movement of Korean independence, which brought Californians  
24 together for this momentous event, was marked with movie

1 presentations, celebrations, and historical seminars to educate the  
2 community on the historical importance of the movement; and  
3 WHEREAS, California is home to the largest population of  
4 Korean Americans in the United States; and  
5 WHEREAS, The contributions of the Korean American  
6 community in California have strengthened this great state and  
7 continue to promote the incredible diversity of California; and  
8 WHEREAS, The Assembly recognized March 1, 2019, as Yu  
9 Gwan-sun Day in the State of California in honor of the centennial  
10 commemorative year of the March 1st Movement of Korean  
11 independence in 2019; now, therefore, be it  
12 *Resolved by the Assembly of the State of California,* That the  
13 Assembly recognizes March 1, 2022, and each March 1 thereafter,  
14 as Yu Gwan-sun Day in the State of California in honor of the  
15 anniversary of the March 1st Movement of Korean independence;  
16 and be it further  
17 *Resolved,* That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly transmit copies  
18 of this resolution to the author for appropriate distribution.

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Date of Hearing: March 3, 2022

ASSEMBLY COMMITTEE ON RULES  
Ken Cooley, Chair  
HR 92 (Choi) – As Introduced March 1, 2022

**SUBJECT:** Yu Gwan-sun Day.

**SUMMARY:** Recognizes March 1, 2022, and each March 1 thereafter, as Yu Gwan-sun Day in the State of California in honor of the anniversary of the March 1st Movement of Korean independence. Specifically, **this resolution** makes the following legislative findings:

- 1) The Assembly recognized March 1, 2019, as Yu Gwan-sun Day in the State of California in honor of the centennial commemorative year of the March 1st Movement of Korean independence.
- 2) The March 1st Movement was inspired by the “Fourteen Points” outlined by President Woodrow Wilson at the Paris Peace Conference and was the first step taken by Koreans for independence.
- 3) From March 1 to April 11, 1919, approximately 2,000,000 Koreans participated in more than 1,500 demonstrations, which are referred to today as the Korean independence movement; and, Yu Gwan-sun is best known as an organizer in the March 1st Movement in the peaceful demonstration against the Imperial Japanese colonial rule of Korea.
- 4) The protests and the March 1st Movement sparked the creation of the Provisional Government of the Republic of Korea, and while the campaign failed to achieve its goal of independence, March 1 is celebrated by both North and South Korea today as a national holiday.
- 5) California is home to the largest population of Korean Americans in the entire country; and, the contributions of the Korean American community in California have strengthened this great state and continue to promote the incredible diversity of California.

**FISCAL EFFECT:** None

**REGISTERED SUPPORT / OPPOSITION:**

**Support**

None on file

**Opposition**

None on file

**Analysis Prepared by:** Michael Erke / RLS. / (916) 319-2800



**House Resolution**

**No. 94**

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**Introduced by Assembly Members Cooley and Bennett**

March 1, 2022

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House Resolution No. 94—Relative to Ukraine.

1 WHEREAS, Ukraine is a sovereign, democratic, and  
2 peace-loving nation; the United States and Ukraine have been  
3 partners since Ukraine declared its independence from the Soviet  
4 Union more than 30 years ago; and

5 WHEREAS, Russian President Vladimir Putin’s attack violates  
6 the foundational principles of the rule of law, which is essential  
7 for democratic countries to thrive; and

8 WHEREAS, On February 24, 2022, Russia, in an unprovoked  
9 attack, invaded its neighbor, Ukraine, and threatened the  
10 democratically elected government; and

11 WHEREAS, President Joseph Biden declared in a statement  
12 and press briefing that Russian President Vladimir Putin, “has  
13 chosen a premeditated war that will bring a catastrophic loss of  
14 life and human suffering”; “Russia alone is responsible for the  
15 death and destruction this attack will bring, and the United States  
16 and its allies and partners will respond in a united and decisive  
17 way”; and

18 WHEREAS, The North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO)  
19 has indicated in a statement on its website on “Relations with  
20 Ukraine” that, “NATO has reinforced its support for capability  
21 development and capacity-building in Ukraine”; the NATO “Allies  
22 condemn and will not recognize Russia’s illegal and illegitimate  
23 annexation of Crimea, and its destabilizing and aggressive activities  
24 in eastern Ukraine and the Black Sea region”; “NATO has

1 increased its presence in the Black Sea and stepped up maritime  
2 cooperation with Ukraine and Georgia”; and

3 WHEREAS, The NATO alliance also condemns Russia’s  
4 decision to extend recognition to the separatist regions of eastern  
5 Ukraine; and

6 WHEREAS, The United States Department of the Treasury’s  
7 Office of Foreign Assets Control (OFAC) has prohibited any  
8 United States person from conducting any transaction involving  
9 the Central Bank of the Russian Federation, the National Wealth  
10 Fund of the Russian Federation, or the Ministry of Finance of the  
11 Russian Federation; and

12 WHEREAS, The United Nations Human Rights Council reports  
13 that Russia’s invasion has damaged and destroyed schools,  
14 hospitals, radio stations, and homes, killing and injuring civilians,  
15 including children; and

16 WHEREAS, According to a press statement issued by United  
17 States Secretary of State Antony J. Blinken, on February 27, 2022,  
18 the “United States is one of the largest humanitarian donors to  
19 Ukraine, and our humanitarian assistance now amounts to nearly  
20 \$405 million to vulnerable communities”; “[t]his additional  
21 assistance will enable international humanitarian organizations to  
22 further support the people of Ukraine, working closely with the  
23 Government of Ukraine and European allies and partners at the  
24 forefront of any response”; “[t]his includes the provision of food,  
25 safe drinking water, shelter, emergency health care, winterization,  
26 and protection”; “[o]ur funding will also help humanitarian  
27 organizations maintain contact between family members who have  
28 been separated due to the conflict, hopefully leading to  
29 reunification in some cases”; and

30 WHEREAS, Thousands of individual Russians have protested  
31 against this war by signing an online petition, protesting in the  
32 streets, and speaking out in defiance of their government; and

33 WHEREAS, Over 112,000 Ukrainians and Californians of  
34 Ukrainian descent call California home; and

35 WHEREAS, Californians share with our partners and allies  
36 unity of purpose, resolve, and determination to hold Russia to  
37 account for its aggression, particularly those responsible for this  
38 war of choice; now, therefore, be it

39 *Resolved by the Assembly of the State of California*, That the  
40 Assembly condemns the Russian attack on Ukraine and stands

1 with the United States and its allies, President Joseph Biden, the  
2 people of Ukraine, and Ukrainian President Volodymyr Zelenskyy  
3 in opposition to this war; and be it further

4 *Resolved*, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly transmit copies  
5 of this resolution to the author for appropriate distribution.

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8 **CORRECTIONS:** \_\_\_\_\_

9 **Text—Pages 1, 2, and 3.**

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Date of Hearing: March 3, 2022

ASSEMBLY COMMITTEE ON RULES  
Ken Cooley, Chair  
HR 94 (Cooley, Bennett) – As Introduced March 1, 2022

**SUBJECT:** Ukraine.

**SUMMARY:** Condemns the Russian attack on Ukraine and declares that the Assembly stands with the United States and its allies, President Joseph Biden, the people of Ukraine, and Ukrainian President Volodymyr Zelenskyy in opposition to this war. Specifically, **this resolution** makes the following legislative findings:

- 1) Ukraine is a sovereign, democratic, and peace-loving nation; the United States and Ukraine have been partners since Ukraine declared its independence from the Soviet Union more than 30 years ago.
- 2) On February 24, 2022, Russia, in an unprovoked attack, invaded its neighbor, Ukraine, and threatened the democratically elected government. Russian President Vladimir Putin’s attack violates the foundational principles of the rule of law, which is essential for democratic countries to thrive.
- 3) The United Nations Human Rights Council reports that Russia’s invasion has damaged and destroyed schools, hospitals, radio stations, and homes, killing and injuring civilians, including children.
- 4) President Joseph Biden declared in a statement and press briefing that Russian President Vladimir Putin, “has chosen a premeditated war that will bring a catastrophic loss of life and human suffering”; “Russia alone is responsible for the death and destruction this attack will bring, and the United States and its allies and partners will respond in a united and decisive way.”
- 5) The North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO) has indicated in a statement on its website on “Relations with Ukraine” that, “NATO has reinforced its support for capability development and capacity-building in Ukraine”; the NATO “Allies condemn and will not recognize Russia’s illegal and illegitimate annexation of Crimea, and its destabilizing and aggressive activities in eastern Ukraine and the Black Sea region”; “NATO has increased its presence in the Black Sea and stepped up maritime cooperation with Ukraine and Georgia.”
- 6) Thousands of individual Russians have protested against this war by signing an online petition, protesting in the streets, and speaking out in defiance of their government.
- 7) Over 112,000 Ukrainians and Californians of Ukrainian descent call California home. Californians share with our partners and allies unity of purpose, resolve, and determination to hold Russia to account for its aggression, particularly those responsible for this war of choice.

**FISCAL EFFECT:** None

**REGISTERED SUPPORT / OPPOSITION:**

**Support**

None on file

**Opposition**

None on file

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